

# SCSA Update

## SASKATOON OFFICES RELOCATING

To better serve our clients, the SCSA offices located at Bay 14-2345 Avenue C North and 2365 Avenue C North will both be relocating to **2606 Koyl Avenue** the week of September 7, 2015.

Please note that all business at the SCSA Saskatoon offices will halt the week September 7-11 to facilitate the move. **Business will resume at the new location starting on Monday, September 14, 2015.**

The Saskatoon office telephone and fax numbers will remain unchanged; however, we ask that you contact the Regina office at (306) 525-0175 if you have any inquiries during the week of the move.

## TOOL BOX TALKS

**Powered Mobile Equipment (May):** Discusses Powered Mobile Equipment (PME) hazard assessments and provides a safety checklist and guidelines for selecting competent PME operators.

**Safe Job Procedures (July):** Defines Safe Job Procedures and includes tips for implementing them in your workplace.

**Presenteeism (August):** Discusses the risks of working in a substandard mental state, and the possible effects of working while sick, tired, or under the influence of drugs and alcohol.

Visit [www.scsaonline.ca/resources](http://www.scsaonline.ca/resources) to download and print the latest SCSA Tool Box Talks!

## NEW WHMIS 2015 AFTER GHS

On February 11, 2015, the Government of Canada modified the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) to incorporate the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) for classifying and labelling workplace chemicals. This modified WHMIS is referred to as "WHMIS 2015."

While the new system contains new international hazard classifications and labelling requirements, the responsibilities for workers, supervisors and suppliers will remain the same. Worksafe Sask is currently offering a free introductory course to WHMIS 2015 through the CCOHS.

Visit [www.worksafesask.ca/free-introductory-e-course-to-whmis-2015](http://www.worksafesask.ca/free-introductory-e-course-to-whmis-2015) to register and take the course online!

## EXPERT ARTICLES



"Procurement: The Exercise of Assessing Value," is the latest expert article authored by SCSA President, Collin Pullar; featured in the 2015 summer issue of the SCA's *We Build* magazine!

The article talks about how procurement specialists look beyond the price to ensure companies have the skills and practices to identify, mitigate, and reduce the risks associated with a project.

Companies that know the value of protecting their skilled workers in order to deliver in a competitive environment invest in methodical safety management practices that reduce potential injuries affecting quality, costs, deadlines or reputation. Visit [www.scsaonline.ca/resources](http://www.scsaonline.ca/resources) to read this, and other expert articles, featuring the SCSA.

## SCSA E-Audit Tool

The SCSA Electronic Audit Tool is now available! Email [loris@scsaonline.ca](mailto:loris@scsaonline.ca) to request the E-Audit Tool package to use for your upcoming internal COR maintenance audit.

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## 2015 Regional Safety Committee Meeting Dates

Estevan	Swift Current	Moose Jaw	Regina	Yorkton	Saskatoon	Prince Albert	Lloydminster
August 25	August 26	August 21	August 20	August 27	August 27	August 20	May 12
November 17	November 18	November 20	November 19	November 26	November 26	November 19	September 8
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